

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE TARIFF APPLICATION OF SOUTH)	
CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY)	
TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF)	CASE NO. 8766
IN-PLACE TERMINAL EQUIPMENT)	

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PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

On January 28, 1983, South Central Bell Telephone Company ("Bell") filed a tariff to allow the sale of selected telephone equipment. On February 14, 1983, the tariff was suspended to allow maximum statutory time for investigation. On March 14, 1983, Bell was ordered to file various information concerning the sale program. All requested information has been filed.

Findings

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

1. No motions to intervene or comments from interested parties have been received and Bell has not requested a hearing. Therefore, a hearing is not necessary.

2. The Commission has approved similar sale programs involving other jurisdictional telephone companies and should approve Bell's sale program, subject to the following modifications:

a. Bell proposed certain equipment prices that in the Commission's opinion are not compensatory. Each of those prices should be adjusted to reflect a minimum sale price equal to the net book value of the equipment plus selling costs.

b. In the event this program results in additional revenue requirements, Bell should not be allowed to recover those requirements for rate-making purposes in future proceedings.

ORDERS

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Bell's tariff for the sale of selected telephone equipment be and it hereby is approved, effective on the date of this Order.

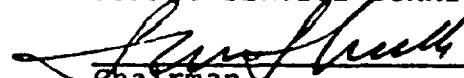
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the rates in Appendix A to this Order are the fair, just and reasonable rates to be charged for telephone equipment offered in the sales program.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Bell shall maintain sales and accounting records in such a way that any additional revenue requirement occurring as a result of the sales program can be identified.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within 30 days from the date of this Order Bell shall file tariff pages with the Commission stating the rates herein approved.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 29th day of June, 1983.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 8766 DATED June 29, 1983

The following rates are prescribed for the customers in the area served by South Central Bell Telephone Company. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

CUSTOMER PREMISES-PRODUCTS TARIFF

T8. TELEPHONE SETS AND ADJUNCTS

T8.2 Feature Telephone Sets

T8.2.6 Sale of Selected Terminal Equipment

1. Sale of Basic and Functional Telephone Equipment

2. Sale of In-Place Equipment

g. Range of Rates

<u>Product</u>	<u>Range of Rates</u>	
Traditional Telephone Set		
-Rotary, desk and wall	\$ 19.85 -	\$ 24.35
-Touch-Tone, desk and wall	36.50 -	50.00
Princess Telephone Set		
-Rotary	25.35 -	49.85
-Touch-Tone	43.65 -	61.65
Trimline Telephone Set		
-Rotary, desk and wall	29.00 -	54.00
-Touch-Tone, desk and wall	44.75 -	69.00
Touch-a-matic 12 Adjunct Dialer		
-Rotary	91.05 -	111.05
-Touch-Tone	91.05 -	111.05
Touch-a-matic Set		
-Rotary	202.15 -	222.15
-Touch-Tone	217.85 -	237.85

2. Sale of In-Place Equipment (Cont'd)

<u>Product</u>	<u>Range of Rates</u>	
Touch-a-matic S Series Telephone	177.85 -	217.85
The AutoMatic TelePhone		
-Rotary, Non-Remote	324.40 -	374.40
-Pushbutton, Non-Remote	324.40 -	374.40
-Adjunct, Non-Remote	263.20 -	313.20
-Rotary, Remote	412.95 -	472.95
-Pushbutton, Remote	412.95 -	472.95
-Adjunct, Remote	357.20 -	407.20
-Additional Pocket Coder	29.20 -	35.20
TeleHelper		
-Speakerphone	113.85 -	143.85
-Answer and Record Adjunct Unit	138.95 -	151.95

3. Sale of Equipment from the Company's Inventory

g. Range of Rates

<u>Product</u>	<u>Range of Rates</u>	
Traditional Telephone Set		
-Rotary, desk and wall	\$ 41.00 -	\$ 49.50
-Touch-Tone, desk and wall	58.80 -	73.05
Princess Telephone Set		
-Rotary	50.00 -	82.50
-Touch-Tone	70.60 -	95.10
Trimline Telephone Set		
-Rotary, desk and wall	48.00 -	82.25
-Touch-Tone, desk and wall	66.20 -	100.45
Touch-a-matic 12 Adjunct Dialer		
-Rotary	124.00 -	154.00
-Touch-Tone	124.00 -	154.00
Touch-a-matic 16 Telephone Set		
-Rotary	276.65 -	326.65
-Touch-Tone	292.85 -	342.85
Touch-a-matic S Series Telephone	222.10 -	262.10

3. Sale of Equipment from the Company's Inventory (Cont'd)

<u>Product</u>	<u>Range of Rates</u>	
The AutoMatic TelePhone		
-Rotary, Non-Remote	400.15 -	540.15
-Pushbutton, Non-Remote	400.15 -	540.15
-Adjunct, Non-Remote	338.95 -	508.95
-Rotary, Remote	495.90 -	685.90
-Pushbutton, Remote	495.90 -	685.90
-Adjunct, Remote	440.60 -	580.60
-Additional Pocket Coder	63.25 -	74.25
TeleHelper		
-Speakerphone	145.30 -	175.30
-Answer and Record Adjunct unit	181.60 -	211.60
Wall Kit (for use with TeleHelper speakerphone)	17.00 -	21.00
Replacement Installation Kit (for use with Touch-a-matic 16)	10.00 -	14.00
Replacement Dial Illumination Kit (for use with Princess and incandescent Trimline telephones	14.50 -	20.50

- h. At the request of its customers, the Company will arrange to wall mount a Touch-a-matic 16 telephone set or a TeleHelper speakerphone at its customers premises.

<u>Charge</u>	
Wall Mounting of a Touch-a-matic 16 telephone set or a TeleHelper speakerphone, per occasion	\$ 45.00